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SUBJ: FLORENCE AGREEMENT PROTOCOL ANNEX E: ARTICLES FOR THE
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1. AUSTRALIA HAS NOT MADE A FINAL DECISION ON BECOMING A SIGNATORY
TO THE FLORENCE AGREEMENT. THE MATTER IS UNDER REVIEW BY THE
DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS (DBCA) UNDER WHOSE
JURISDICTION THE BUREAU OF CUSTOMS FALLS.

2. UNDER CURRENT AUSTRALIAN LAW, THE GOA TREATS THE ENTRY OF DUTY-
FREE ITEMS WITHIN THE MEANING OF THE "NAIROBI PROTOCOL" TO THE
FLORENCE AGREEMENT AS BY-LAW ENTRIES UNDER THE APPLICABLE
PROVISIONS OF BY-LAW PROCEDURES OF THE CUSTOMS AND TARIFF
LEGISLATION.

3. THE BY-LAW PLANNING AND SERVICES DIVISION OF THE BUREAU OF
CUSTOMS OF DBCA IS PREPARING A DETAILED REPLY TO THE QUESTIONS
OUTLINED REFTEL. THESE WILL BE REPORTED PROMPTLY TO DEPARTMENT
UPON RECEIPT.
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